



THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Jordan T. Bourilkov et al. Art Unit: 1745

Serial No.: 10/616,495 Examiner:

Filed : July 9, 2003

Title : FUEL CARTRIDGE INTERCONNECT FOR PORTABLE FUEL CELLS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Copies of the references listed on the attached form PTO-1449 are enclosed. A copy of a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart application is also enclosed.

This statement is being filed before the receipt of a first Office Action on the merits. Please apply any charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: December 15, 2004

Fish & Richardson P.C. 225 Franklin Street Boston, MA 02110-2804 Telephone: (617) 542-5070

Facsimile: (617) 542-8906

20991251.doc

Robert C. Nabing Reg. No. 33,431

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY FIRST CLASS MAIL

I hereby certify under 37 CFR §1.8(a) that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage on the date indicated below and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

December 15, 209
Date of Deposit

\ \AA

Signature

Sherry L. Hunt

Typed or Printed Name of Person Signing Certificate

Sheet	1	of	1
		OI.	

Substitute Form PTO-1449 U.S. Department of Commerce Patent and Trademark Office		Application No. 10/616,495	
Information Disclosure Statement 1 200 Ell by Applicant	Applicant Jordan T. Bourilkov et al.		
Use several sheets if necessary)	Filing Date July 9, 2003	Group Art Unit 1745	

	U.S. Patent Documents						
Examiner Initial	Desig. ID	Document Number	Publication Date	Patentee	Class	Subclass	Filing Date If Appropriate
	AA	6,104,162	08/15/00	Sainsbury et al.			
	AB						
	AC					·	
	AD						
	AE						
	AF						
	AG						
•	AH						
	AI						
	AJ		,				
	AK						

Foreign Patent Documents or Published Foreign Patent Applications								
Examiner	Desig.	Document	Publication	Country or			Trans	slation
Initial	ID	Number	Date	Patent Office	Class	Subclass	Yes	No
	AL							
·	AM							
	AN							
	AO							
	AP							

	Other Documents (include Author, Title, Date, and Place of Publication)					
Examiner Initial	Desig. ID	Document				
	AQ					
	AR					
	AS					
	AT					

Examiner Signature	Date Considered				
EXAMINER: Initials citation considered. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.					